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Congress of the United States House of Representatives

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The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Chair
Committee on Appropriations,
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Kay Granger
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations,
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the City of San Marcos, Emergency Management Communication Platforms in fiscal year 2023. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of San Marcos, Texas located at 630 E Hopkins St. San Marcos, Texas 78666.

The funding would be used to provide a redundant means of communication to all water tanks, wastewater pump/lift stations, electric substations and traffic signal control SCADA. With a secondary communication system, the City would be able to continue managing and monitoring these systems during an emergency event. Funding would also be used to provide additional means to communicate with our citizens during an emergency event. The City's outdoor warning siren system has not worked for several years, and the City's radio antenna needs to be moved to enhance the coverage and clarity of the station. Both platforms would enhance the City's ability to communicate to our citizens during an emergency or disaster.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Lloyd Doggett